

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
INT-0004

In Re Application Of **Mattern et al.**

Application No.  
**10/002,653**

Filing Date  
**October 19, 2001**

Examiner  
**Naff, David M.**

Customer No.  
**26259**

Group Art Unit  
**1651**

Confirmation No.  
**2405**

Invention: **Collagen/Glycosaminoglycan Compositions for Use as Terminally Sterilizable Matrices**

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 7, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: July 8, 2004 until: October 7, 2004  
*Date* *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14 -	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$950.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					<b>\$950.00</b>

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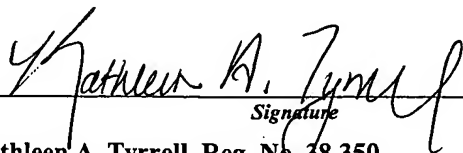
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of **\$950.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. **50-1619** in the amount of **\$950.00**
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**
- ☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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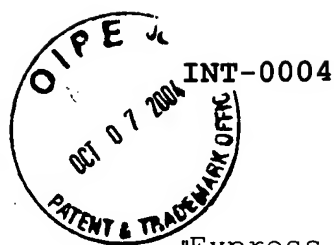
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- 1) Combined Amendment & Petition for Extension of Time Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- 2) Amendment in Response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2004;
- 3) Declaration by Donald Nociolo;
- 4) Declaration by Timothy Malaney;
- 5) USP Subsection <71>;
- 6) USP Subsection <1211>;
- 7) USPTO Credit Card Payment Form authorizing payment in the amount of \$950.00 for extension of time filing fees;
- 8) Return Postcard.

  
Kathleen A. Tyrrell